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In re Application of:	Tsuyoshi TAKAHASHI	Group Art Unit:	2186
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San Diego, California
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

In response to the Office Action dated September 22, 2004, the time for response to which is extended to January 22, 2005, by the accompanying Petition For Extension of Time, the following amendments and remarks are submitted for the Examiner's consideration.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 11 of this paper.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

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